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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Attorney Docket No. 01-034)

In Re Application of:	)	
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Bacus, S.	)	Examiner: Canella, K.A.
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Serial No. 09/760,119	)	Art Unit: 1643
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Filed: January 12, 2001	)	Confirmation number: 1978
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For: METHOD FOR DETERMING THE	)	
RESPONSE TO CANCER THERAPY	)	

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

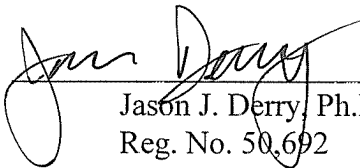
Sir:

Applicants request a Three-Month Extension of Time to respond to the Office Action mailed October 27, 2005. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the requisite amount of \$ 1,020.00 for an Extension fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a), and any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: April 27, 2006

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